

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington DC 20554

In the Matter of)	
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Remington Arms Company, Inc., Request)	ET Docket No. 05-183
for a Waiver of Part 15)	

COMMENTS OF ALCATEL

Alcatel submits these comments in response to the public notice establishing the above-captioned proceeding.¹ Alcatel manufactures communications equipment, including microwave radio products, and provides communications solutions to a wide range of commercial and government users.

The waiver request seeks, *inter alia*, authority for one-watt analog operation in the 2400-2483.5 MHz band. This band includes a Fixed Service allocation at 2450-2483.5 MHz.² Alcatel is concerned that analog operation may be more interfering to Fixed Service receivers than digital operation at the same power.

Nevertheless, Alcatel will not oppose the waiver request if, as a condition of the waiver, marketing of devices manufactured or imported pursuant to the waiver is limited to these groups:

- entities eligible for licensing under Section 90.20 of the Commission's Rules;
- the United States Government and its agencies;³ and

¹ *Office of Engineering and Technology Declares Remington Arms Company, Inc. Request for a Waiver of Part 15 to Be a "Permit-but-Disclose" Proceeding for Ex Parte Purposes*, ET Docket No. 05-183, DA 05-1289 (released May 5, 2005).

² 47 C.F.R. Sec. 101.101.

³ *But see* 47 C.F.R. Sec. 805(d) (exempting devices for use by the United States Government from the Commission's equipment authorization requirements).

- state-licensed security and investigative services.

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